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MEMORANDUM TO: Project Engineers

Project Design Engineers

FROM: G. R. Perfetti, P. E.

State Bridge Design Engineer

DATE: November 30, 2006

SUBJECT: TOP OF RAIL ELEVATIONS

Effective immediately, place the following note on the General Drawing of all railroad overpass projects:

The railroad track top of rail elevations shown on the plans are from the best information available. Prior to beginning bridge construction, verify the top of rail elevations and report any variations to the Engineer. Any plan revisions necessary to achieve the required minimum vertical clearance will be provided by the Department.

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